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Hongkong, January 9, 1909.

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FOR SHIPS BOTTOMS (GALVANIZED BRASS).

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Hongkong, August 2, 1909.

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THE BIRD IN

THE HAND

(A BIRD IN THE HAND IS

WORTH TWO IN THE BUSH).

'THE bird in the hand' is the

merchant's customer within

the store. It requires some sort of

attraction in the first place to get the

customer there—about the best at-

traction is a real, live advertisement;

something good that will catch the eye

that has been carefully written, arti-

ficially compiled and artfully set up.

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## NEWS FROM ALL SOURCES

Alma Broderick, shipowner, has sub-

mitted a scheme for sending to Canada

9000 pioneers, their wives, and 4000 chil-

ren; this year, and 5000 men and their

wives and 10,000 children in subsequent

years. Each family will be provided with

credit for the equipment of a homestead,

and the whole cost, including a fidelity

bond, will be \$150 a family, which will be

advanced at the rate of 7 per cent. interest,

and which will be repayable in seven years.

The scheme could be administered upon a

maximum credit of \$2,350,000, which

would eventually fall below a million.

The scheme would provide 20,000 people a

year, who would pay interest at the rate of

3 per cent. a year, and would furnish a

reserve of \$20,000 a year, leaving \$11,000

for administration in Britain.

Reuter's agency reports that Dinisulu,

now in confinement, paramount Zulu Chief,

will be transferred to Pretoria. It is

understood that he will be released and

placed on a farm later. The first meeting

of the Union Cabinet ordered the release

of Dinisulu, who will now live at Nyasulu,

in the Northern Transvaal with his wives.

He will be allowed reasonable liberty, and

will have \$500 a year subject to good

behaviour.

Captain James Henry Holford, D.S.O.,

who pleaded guilty at the Criminal Sessions

in April last to having fraudulently con-

verted to his own use valuable jewellery,

passing of sentence being then postponed,

has been now bound over and released.

The Recorder took into consideration the

time the prisoner has been detained in

custody, also his distinguished career.

Lord Alverstone, Lord Chief Justice of

England, giving evidence before the Royal

Commission on Divorce, objected to giving

jurisdiction in divorce to County Courts

or any inferior court. The difficulty ex-

perienced by the poor, he said, in getting

divorces might be met by the State paying

the legal expenses, as was done in criminal

cases. He contended that husband and

wife should have equal grounds on which

to sue for divorce, and that permanent

lunacy ought to be a sufficient justification.

A wife should have equal remedy, but the

power and duty to forgive ought to be

more easy to the wife than the husband.

The Prussian Government proposes to

increase the Civil List of the German

Emperor as King of Prussia, now amount-

ing to \$735,905 a year by \$200,000, owing

to the increase in the cost of living, in-  
cluding higher salaries to the court officials,  
the upkeep of the Royal Theatres and the  
establishments of the Royal Princes. The  
non-socialist parties of the Diet assented to  
the proposal.

The Hague International Arbitration

Court, which is dealing with the Newfound-

land Fisheries dispute, is composed of

Professor H. Lammasch, Austro-Hungarian

member of the Permanent Court of

Arbitration at The Hague, as President;

Dr. Drago (Argentina), as President;

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TEST ON TYPHOID GERMS. Certificate of strength given to each buyer.  
NON-POISONOUS and NON-IRRITANT to HUMAN and ANIMAL life.  
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ONE GALLON will make 400 GALLONS of Efficient Disinfectant.  
PERFECT EMULSION IN WATER.  
PRICE \$3.00... per 1 Gallon Drum.  
13.50... per 5 Gallon Drum.  
3.60... per 1 Gallon in Bulk.

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Co-efficient 10; \$1.95 per 1 gallon Drum.  
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Ask other manufacturers of disinfectants for a Guarantee of the Germicidal  
Strength of their products (in relation to Pure Carbolic Acid) under the  
Standard Test on Typhoid Germs and then compare the result with our  
HYCOL—This is the only way you can arrive at the Germ killing properties  
and at the true value of a Genuine Disinfecting Fluid.

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STEAM RAISING, FORGING, STEEL MAKING, SHIPS' BUNKERS, AND  
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Ships' Bunkers supplied at short notice.

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HIGHEST FIREBRICKS GRADE

Best Sealing Blocks, Fire Covers, Ground Fireclay, Stoneware

Glazed Pipes, Glazed Tiles, Foundation Bricks (Non-absorptive)

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\$3.00 per Box of 100.

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## WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued from the Hongkong Observatory:-

On the 27th at 1.30 p.m. - Observations received from Aupari indicate that a small depression passed North of that station moving Westwards this morning.

On the 28th at 11.15 a.m. - The barometer has risen a little in Luzon, and fallen slightly to moderately on the S. coast of China.

The depression, which is apparently of no great intensity at present, is probably situated to the South of Pantoa Shoal, and moving towards W. or W.N.W.

Pressure is still low over E. Manchuria. It has increased moderately over N. China, and remains high over the Pacific in the neighbourhood of the Bonins.

Unsettled weather may be expected in the Formosa Channel and over the N. part of the China Sea.

Black South Cone and Drum hoisted. Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches.

Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon to-morrow:-

1.-Hongkong and Neighbourhood: N.E. winds, freshening (fair to squally with rain).

2.-Formosa Channel: E. winds, fresh. N.E. winds, freshening (fair to squally with rain).

3.-South coast of China between Hongkong and Lintock: Same as No. 1.

4.-South coast of China between Hongkong and Hainan: Same as No. 1.

5.-South coast of China between Hainan and Luzon: Same as No. 1.

6.-Luzon: Same as No. 1.

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